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In re Application of Michael D. Ellis et al.			
Application Number 09/821,005		Filed March 29, 2001	
For SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR REDUCING CUT-OFFS IN PROGRAM RECORDING			
Art Unit 2623		Examiner Justin E. Shepard	

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

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